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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the Title Page Item (54), and Col. 1, lines 1-5 Title, "EXPANDABLE RESIN BEADS OF STYRENE-MODIFIED STRAIGHT-CHAIN AND LOW-DENSITY POLYETHYLENE, PROCESS FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF, PRE-EXPAND BEADS, AND FOAMS" should read --EXPANDABLE PARTICLES OF STYRENE-MODIFIED LINEAR LOW-DENSITY POLYETHYLENE-BASED RESIN, PRODUCTION METHOD THEREFOR, PRE-EXPANDED PARTICLES, AND EXPANDED MOLDED ARTICLE--.

On the Title Page at Item (57), ABSTRACT, line 2, "beads" should read --particles--.

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